

What's Happening Wednesday

Kansas Immunization Program



July 19, 2017

VFC Consultant On-Call

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Chief Chat

The merging of public vaccine inventories in WebIZ was completed on Thursday of last week. When providers open their July reconciliations, all VFC/CHIP/State/317 vaccines will show as received in "Public" inventory. A special instruction cheat sheet is being completed and will be sent out to providers within the next week. If you find any problems with your inventory, please contact the [WebIZ Helpdesk](#).

August is National Immunization Awareness Month (NIAM). Immunizations represent one of the greatest public health accomplishments of the 20th century. The purpose of NIAM is to celebrate the benefits of vaccination and highlight the importance of vaccination for people of all ages.



To assist with your communication efforts during NIAM and beyond, the National Public Health Information Coalition (NPHIC), in collaboration with CDC's National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases, has developed a [communication toolkit](#). The toolkit is designed to help public information officers, immunization program managers, health care professionals, coalitions, advocates, parents, partners and individuals communicate about the importance of immunizations during August and throughout the year.

The toolkit is structured to provide targeted messages/materials for various stages of the lifespan. The suggested themes for this year are:

- July/August: Ready for school? Check those vaccine records. (school-aged children)
- July 31-August 6: A healthy start begins with on-time vaccination (babies and young children)
- August 7-13: Protect yourself and pass protection on to your baby (pregnant women)
- August 14-20: Vaccines are not just for kids (adults)
- August 21-27: Ensure a healthy future with vaccines (preteens and teens)

The toolkit contains a number of resources for each week:

- Sample key messages
- Specific vaccine information
- Frequently asked questions
- Sample news releases and drop-in articles
- Sample social media messages
- Logos and graphics
- Web links and resources



We encourage you to visit and download the materials as you plan for and execute activities for the 2017 NIAM. The toolkit can be found at the [National Public Health Information Coalition website](#).

Have a great week and thank you for all you do each day to immunize Kansans!

Phil Griffin, Deputy Director, Bureau of Disease Control and Prevention

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that adding water bottles to your refrigerator can help your unit maintain the correct temperature during busy times, such as back to school, when the unit door is frequently opened and closed? (If you have a pharmaceutical unit, please see your manufacturer's recommendations to see if water bottles are recommended.)

For more information on how water bottles can help maintain stable temperatures and the placement of water bottles in the refrigerator unit, please see the CDC's Storage and Handling Toolkit.

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/admin/storage/toolkit/storage-handling-toolkit.pdf>

VFC Question of the Week

Q: I get confused when to use DTaP and when to use Tdap; can you help?

A: DTaP is to be used for vaccinating children 6 weeks through 6 years. Tdap is for use in those age 7 years through adulthood.

If you have a child that is behind on their immunizations, you can refer to the ACIP Catch-Up Schedule or the CDC's Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine Preventable Diseases ("The Pink Book"), specifically the Tetanus and Pertussis chapters for more information on which vaccine to use and when another dose might be needed.

The ACIP Catch-Up Schedule can be found at: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/downloads/child/0-18yrs-child-combined-schedule.pdf#page=3>

The Tetanus Chapter can be found at: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/tetanus.html#schedule>

The Pertussis Chapter can be found at: <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/pert.html#schedule>

YOU ARE THE KEY TO CANCER PREVENTION

SAVE THE DATE
TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 2017
7:30A.M – 10 A.M.
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NATIONAL HPV ROUNDTABLE MEMBER
Sharon Humiston, MD, MPH, FAAP

KS COMMISSION ON CANCER CHAIR
Joshua Mammen, MD, FACS

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Aggregate Inventory Training

The Aggregate Inventory Training occurs every Monday from 1p-2p, and the first Friday of every month from 10:30a-11:30a. This call will go over the basics of the On Hand, Reconciliation submission, Vaccine Ordering and Return windows in KSWebIZ for Aggregate Users. Bring questions and examples of issues that your clinic is having with the end of the month reporting. **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ**

Aggregate (HL-7) Users Only!

Register now for the date that works best for you!

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Direct Entry Inventory Training

The Direct Entry Inventory Training occurs every Tuesday from 1p-2p, and the first Friday of every month from 12p-1p. This call will go over the basics of the On Hand screen, Reconciliation submission, and Vaccine Ordering and Return windows in KSWebIZ. Bring questions and examples of issues that your clinic is having with the end of the month reporting. **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Entry Users Only!**

Register now for the date that works best for you!

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New User Training

The New User Training occurs every Thursday from 2p-3p, and the second Friday of every month from 12p-1p. This basic training is for new KSWebIZ users, or people who would like a simplified refresher training on how to use KSWebIZ. We will be going over log-in, adding history, administering vaccinations, printing consents and pink cards. If you are a new user, please take the time to sit in on this training! **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Users Only!**

Register now for the date that works best for you!

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School Module Training

The School Module Training occurs on the third Friday of every month from 9a-10a. This basic training is for new KSWebIZ school module users, or people who would like a simplified refresher training on how to use the KSWebIZ School Module. We will be going over log-in, adding history, education, and printing reports. Please take the time to sit in on this training! **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ School Module Users Only!**

Register now for the date that works best for you!

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/8422671756415350273>

Reports Training

The Reports Training occurs the fourth Friday of every month from 12p-1p. This training is for KSWebIZ users who are wanting to learn more about the KSWebIZ Reports module. We will be going over the most often used reporting sections and how to generate reports within these sections. We hope you have time to sit in on this training! **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Users Only!**

Register now for the date that works best for you!

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/568840407867357186>

Pharmacy Training

The Pharmacy Training occurs every Monday from 10a-11a and every Wednesday from 12p-1p. This training is for KSWebIZ pharmacy users that are new or would like a simplified refresher training on how to report immunizations to the state registry in compliance with statute KSA65-1635a. The training will consist of, logging-in, searching a patient, updating patient demographics, and adding immunizations. Please take the time to attend this training! **Please note: this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Entry Pharmacy Users Only!**

Register now for the date that works best for you!

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/7882741178298559746>

Anthrax	3/10/10	MMR	4/20/12
Chickenpox	3/13/08	Tdap	2/24/15
DTaP/DT/DTP	5/17/07	MMRV	5/21/10
Hepatitis A	7/20/16	Multi-vaccine	11/05/15
Hepatitis B	7/20/16	PCV 13	11/05/15
Hib	4/2/15	PPSV	4/24/15
HPV9	12/2/16	Polio	7/20/16
HPV4 (Gardasil)	5/17/13	Rabies	10/6/09
HPV2 (Cervarix)	5/03/11	Rotavirus	4/15/15
Influenza (LAIV4)	8/07/15	Shingles	10/6/09
Influenza (IIV3 or IIV4)	8/07/15	Smallpox	10/01/09
Japan. enceph.	1/24/14	Td	4/11/17
MCV4/MPSV4	3/31/16	Typhoid	5/29/12
MenB	8/09/16	Yellow fever	3/30/11

Vaccine Redistribution

Please email any additions or changes to be made on the Vaccine Redistribution lists with subject matter "Redistribution" to kdhe.vaccine@ks.gov or call toll free at 1-877-296-0464 [Vaccine Redistribution information and lists](#).

REMINDERS: Providers may place the excess doses on the KIP Redistribution list if:

- 1) The vaccine has a minimum of 90 days and a maximum of 365 days before the vaccine's expiration date.
 - 2) The ordering provider is responsible for any doses which expire on the redistribution list that have not been accepted for transfer to another VFC provider.
 - 3) Providers accepting vaccine from the redistribution list are responsible for using the doses once they are transferred. KIP encourages providers to accept only doses they can administer before the expiration date.
 - 4) The transferring and receiving provider will document these doses on their monthly reconciliation reports as transferred vaccines.
 - 5) Once vaccine is transferred please contact KIP to let us know so we can adjust the redistribution list by either deleting the line or by reducing the amount of doses.
 - 6) All vaccines must be in full boxes.
 - 7) The KIP Regional Immunization Consultant who is on call must be contacted prior to transferring vaccine.
 - 8) Providers are responsible for keeping KIP notified if there is a change in amount of doses available for redistribution.
 - 9) When placing an order, you may be contacted if the vaccine you are trying to order is on the redistribution list.
 - 10) Varicella and Proquad will not be posted on the VFC or Private Vaccine Redistribution List. Frozen Varivax vaccines are very intolerant to out of range temperatures. To prevent potential vaccine waste the KIP requests that Varivax containing vaccines not be transferred to other providers.
- For questions regarding transporting vaccine call 877-296-0464 to request assistance.